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2010 Soybean TRQ Allocation is Effective Now

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Report Highlights:

TH0006. On December 29, 2009 the Minister of Commerce signed the Thai Ministerial Notification Concerning the Tariff Rate Quota for Soybean Imports for 2010. With this action, 13 importers will be allowed to import an unlimited in-quota amount of soybeans for 2010.

On December 29, 2009, the Thai Cabinet's agreement to grant an unlimited in-quota amount of soybeans for 2010 with a zero percent-tariff rate became effective when the Minister of Commerce officially signed the Ministerial Notification Concerning the Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ) for Soybean Imports 2010. As a result of this action, 13 associations and individual food processing companies are now eligible to import soybeans.

Details of the Cabinet's agreement can be found in the following report dated November 23, 2009: "The Thai Cabinet Agreed on an Unlimited Quota for Soybeans for 2010".